

CHAPTER 155.

[Published April 3, 1861.]

AN ACT to punish and prevent fraud in the use of false stamps and labels.

The People of the State of Wisconsin, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Counterfeiting
private stamps
or labels.

SECTION 1. Every person who shall knowingly and willfully forge or counterfeit, or cause or procure to be counterfeited, upon any goods, wares or merchandise, the private stamps or labels of any mechanic or manufacturer, with intent to defraud the purchasers or manufacturers of any goods, wares or merchandise whatsoever, upon conviction thereof shall be punished by imprisonment in a county jail for a term not exceeding six months or by fine not exceeding one hundred dollars.

Selling wares
bearing counter-
feit stamps or la-
bels.

SECTION 2. Every person who shall vend any goods, wares or merchandise having thereon any forged or counterfeit stamps or labels of any mechanic or manufacturer, knowing the same to be forged or counterfeited, without disclosing the fact to the purchaser, shall, upon conviction, be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be punished by imprisonment in the county jail not exceeding six months, or by fine not exceeding one hundred dollars.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after sixty days from its passage and publication.

Approved March 29, 1861.

CHAPTER 156.

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AN ACT to amend an act entitled "An act to amend an act to incorporate the village of Horicon.

[See Supplement to Local Laws.]